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## AWFUL STORM PREVAILS

Portions of Denton and Wise Counties Visited.

### HOLOCAUST AT SANGER.

A. D. Price, Wife, Five Children and Hired Man Unable to Escape From Burning Residence and Perish Together With the Structure.

Fort Worth, March 24.—A terrific electrical storm and hurricane visited portions of Denton and Wise counties at 9 o'clock Tuesday night, doing terrible work.

At Sanger, Denton county, the residence of A. D. Price was hit. Fire was burning in a stove and the lamps were lit. All avenues of escape were cut off and Mr. Price, his wife and five children and hired man were burned to death while the house was being consumed.

Twenty persons are reported injured, and fifty houses and stores at Sanger completely wrecked. The bank is the only building left standing.

At Bolivar many houses were blown down and all but one store destroyed. Bridgeport, Wise county, and Decatur sustained much loss.

Henry and Will Cook, negroes, were killed by lightning near Sanger. At Greenwood, five miles west of Bridgeport, Wise county, an unknown man was killed by the storm.

At Slidell, two men sought safety under a haystack, which caught fire. Both were burned to death.

The Methodist church at Crisp, Ellis county, was wrecked by a storm. At Bristol the residence of Henry Phillips was destroyed. At Garrett the schoolhouse was ruined.

### SLAIN GOING TO SCHOOL.

Man Alleged Doing Deed Had to Be Beaten Into Submission.

New York, March 24.—Anna Mangano, a public schoolteacher, was shot in the head and instantly killed on One Hundred and Third street while on her way to school. The man who is alleged to have shot her was arrested by the police as he was about to turn the weapon upon himself.

Two policemen, who gave chase, caught the man, but had to beat him into submission before they put him under arrest. At the police station the prisoner refused to say anything about himself. A bank book in the name of Anna Mangano and Philip Mangano was found in his pocket.

### ATTAINS UNUSUAL AGE.

Never Left County and Dies Ten Miles From Birthplace.

Pensacola, Fla., March 24.—Born within ten miles of the place she died, having left there only three times during her career and never having left the county of her birth, is the record of Mrs. Mary Pitts, who died at McKittrickville, twenty miles from this city, at the age of 105 years five months and five days. During her life of over a century the deceased was never ill for more than a week until she was taken sick three weeks ago.

### Pipe Line Company Organized.

Shreveport, March 24.—Capitalized at \$300,000, with W. B. McCormick as president; W. B. Hunter, vice president; S. S. Hunter, secretary-treasurer, and W. H. Sedberry of Marshall director, the Louisiana-Texas Natural Gas company has been organized here for the purpose particularly of piping gas from Caddo to Marshall, Tex. The charter has been recorded.

## DISCUSSED BY CLARK.

Leader of the Minority Speaks to New Tariff Measure.

Washington, March 24.—The new tariff bill was discussed Wednesday from the Democratic viewpoint by Mr. Clark of Missouri, the minority leader. It is not anticipated he will occupy nearly so much time as did Mr. Payne. Following the usual cus-



CHAMP CLARK.

tom, Clark delivered his speech from well in front of the speaker's desk and there was a full attendance to hear him.

Mr. Clarke at times injected humor into what he said and was frequently interrupted by applause. As a preliminary he provoked the house to great laughter and Olmstead of Pennsylvania to no little embarrassment by congratulating him upon the advent of a son.

For Mr. Payne the minority leader had only words of praise, and his remarks in that connection elicited applause on both sides. He declared Mr. Payne's nine hour speech on the tariff made him a great historical person, in company with Henry Clay, Robert Walker, Senator Morrill of Vermont, William McKinley, William Wilson and Nelson Dingley.

### WIDOW'S WHIM.

Displeased With Change of Name, Wants to Sell to Negroes.

New York, March 24.—Mrs. Caroline A. Down, the widow of a real estate operator, who first opened up a suburb of Yonkers, N. Y., known as Yonkers Park, threatens to sell her property holdings there in a fashionable neighborhood, exclusively to negroes, because the name of the suburb has been changed to Crestwood. She has authorized a real estate agent to sell her residence provided the purchaser conspicuously posts the following signs:

"Boarding house, exclusively for negroes."  
"Laundry for negroes."  
"Road house for negroes."  
"Undertaking and embalming for negroes only."

The residence is at present occupied by Eva Booth, of Salvation Army fame. A negro physician has already offered to buy the house, but declines to post the signs.

### Contention of Russell.

Muskogee, Okla., March 24.—That the members of the five civilized tribes are not citizens of the United States and that the policy of the government has never changed; that it is the government's intention to act as guardian as long as possible, was the argument made by Assistant Attorney General Russell for the government in the hearing of demurrers in the 30,000 land suits by the government to quiet title to Indian lands.

**Rody Retaliates.**  
San Juan, P. R., March 24.—Judge B. S. Rody of the United States district court, whose removal from that office has been sought by the house of delegates and by a few American lawyers, has taken action against several of those who had proceeded against him. Recently he issued an order against a number of lawyers to show cause why they should not be adjudged guilty of contempt. Judge Rody suspended D. Mott for six months from the privilege of practicing and to pay a fine of \$150; sentenced H. F. Hord to thirty days' suspension and a fine of \$100 and F. H. Dexter to thirty days' suspension.

### Attempt to Dynamite House.

Chicago, March 24.—An attempt to destroy the home of James MacAluso, a steamship agent, was made. A dynamite bomb was exploded in the hallway of the building. MacAluso and members of his family were thrown out of their beds, but escaped injury. No trace of the dynamiters could be found. MacAluso could not understand why the attempt to injure him was made. He said he had no trouble with anybody and had received no threatening letters.

### Four Colleges Provided For.

Little Rock, March 24.—The senate passed the Bellamy bill providing for the appropriation of \$160,000 for the establishment of four agricultural colleges in Arkansas. The bill has already passed the house and, it is understood, will be signed by the governor, who advocated four agricultural colleges in his message. The bill was endorsed by the Arkansas Farmers' union.

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TELEPHONE BUSINESS ENORMOUS. KANSAS CITY STOCK MARKET.

Abstract of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company's Annual Report.

A general statement covering the business of the Bell system is included by President Theodore N. Vail with the annual report of the American Telephone and Telegraph company.

There was a total of 4,364,629 telephone stations connected to the Bell system as against 3,838,000 at the close of the previous year, an increase of 526,629 stations. Of the total there were 1,109,144 exchange and toll stations connected with the Bell system by toll or long distance lines, but operated by some 7,700 local, co-operative, and rural independent companies or associations having sub-license or connection contracts.

The total wire mileage of the Bell companies for toll and exchange service was 9,830,718, over a million miles being added during the year. The daily average of calls handled by the Bell companies was 18,963,000, or at the rate of about six billion a year. The plant additions were \$15,824,000 for exchanges, \$8,812,600 for toll lines, and \$2,000,600 for land and buildings, making a total of \$26,637,200. During the past nine years a grand total of \$378,472,800 has been expended in enlarging the Bell properties.

During the year \$39,736,700 was applied out of revenue to maintenance and reconstruction purposes.

The Bell business as a whole, excluding duplications and treating it as if operated by a single company, showed a substantial improvement. The total earnings showed an increase over the previous year of \$7,009,500, the total expenses an increase of \$3,101,700. The balance of net earnings was \$45,974,000, and, after deducting \$11,034,500 for interest and \$21,338,100 for dividends, there was left \$13,601,400 in undivided profits. The combined balance sheet shows total assets of \$680,044,200, with a surplus of \$31,759,600, and depreciation and other reserves of \$40,480,360.

The earnings of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company also show a decided improvement over last year and every previous year. The net revenue was \$18,121,707.26, out of which dividends of 8 per cent were paid, amounting to \$1,245,156, leaving a surplus of \$5,662,551.26.

### Notice to Woodmen.

Every Woodman should be out at the regular meeting Friday night March 26. If you don't come out and take a part in the business of the lodge don't complain at those that do.

T. A. SATTERWHITE, C. C.

### Partnership Dissolved.

The partnership of Wiley & Elliott merchants of Tabor, has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Clarence Elliott retires from the business by selling his interest to his partner, Mr. J. W. Wiley, who will continue the business as heretofore.

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### BODIES FOUND IN RIVER.

Mother Believed to Have Taken Lives of Children and Self.

Simsbury, Conn., March 24.—The bodies of Mrs. Amos Miller and her two children were found in the Farmington river. The children had been tied together before drowning ensued. Through a note left by Mrs. Miller the probabilities are that while mentally depressed she took the children's lives and her own.

### Gusher Near Muskogee.

Muskogee, Okla., March 24.—Just outside the corporate limits of the city a gusher was brought in on the Spaulding farm, opening up a new oil field in the center of the country. The capacity of the well cannot be accurately given at this time.

### Stabbed to Death.

Roanoke, Va., March 24.—H. B. McNamara run into an unknown negro. The latter fatally stabbed him and fled.

### Government Building Burns.

City of Mexico, March 24.—The building of the chamber of deputies was burned. Loss is \$150,000.

### Scolded, Boy Ends Life.

Philadelphia, March 24.—Because his mother scolded him Attel Galliano suicided.

### Mrs. Sankey Secures Divorce.

New York, March 24.—Mrs. Grace L. Sankey has obtained a divorce from John E. Sankey, the eldest son of the late Ira D. Sankey, the evangelist, who became famous during his tours with Moody. Mrs. Sankey alleged misconduct. Mr. Sankey denied the charges.

### Conference Agreed On.

London, March 24.—Telegraphing from Constantinople, the correspondent of the Morning Post says he hears that a European conference has been absolutely agreed upon and the program, date and place of meeting will be settled next year.

## Remember

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Cattle Receipts Light and Market Strong. Hog Market Weak.

Kansas City Stock Yards, March 22, 1909.—Steers in the quarantine division declined 15 to 25 cents last week up to Wednesday, but after that day prices were stronger, and 10 to 15 cents of the loss was regained before the end of the week. The run is 52 cars in quarantine division here today, market 10 higher. The supply of cattle at all of the markets is light today, and the general market is 15 to 25 cents above the middle of last week. The small runs at all points today indicate that feeders are able to control the situation and a complete recovery from the recent depression is expected before the upturn stops. Steers in the quarantine division today sold at \$5.00, bulls \$3.80 to \$4. calves at \$4.50 to \$7.00. Offerings from Texas have made up a good share of the quarantine receipts here during the last week, steers selling at \$4.80 to \$5.90, for weights from 850 to 1190. Oklahoma corn fed steers up to \$6.15 on different days last week.

Hog receipts here last week amounted to 79,000 head, largest total for any week in more than a month. Prices advanced the first part of the week, but there was a reaction that wiped out all the gain by the close Saturday, and average cost of hogs for the week was same as during the previous week, \$6.55 per cwt. The market is 10 higher today, run 10,000 head, heavy hogs in greatest demand, at \$6.75 to \$6.97½, medium weights \$6.60 to \$6.85, light \$6.30 to \$6.70, pigs \$5.00 to \$5.75. Associated press reports of interviews with packers last week indicate a belief in stronger prices for hogs.

Sheep and lambs are coming pretty freely but the market is holding up good, lambs fully steady last week, sheep and yearlings 10 to 20 higher. The run is 13,000 head today, market 10 higher on anything showing decent quality, lambs today at \$7.40 to \$7.70, mainly yearlings worth \$6.25 to \$7.40, weathers \$5.50 to \$6.80, ewes today at \$5.25 to \$5.80. Feeding weathers are worth around \$4.25, breeding ewes up to \$5.25, feeding lambs \$5.75 to \$7.00.

J. A. RICKART,  
L. S. Correspondent.

### Little Ella McNeerney.

Little Ella, she has left us. Here, we'll see her not again. Her brief life, to us so precious. Was not spent on earth in vain.

She to us was like a sunbeam  
Sent to cheer us every day.  
Like some playful mountain stream—  
Let, rippling, dancing on its way.

Put away her little playthings—  
Set aside her little chair,  
She will need them on earth never—  
She'll have better over there.

Grand-ma, do not grieve for Ella,  
Though she was a precious child.  
Some day you can see and tell her,  
How you've missed her all the while.

Yes, there is a silvery lining  
To each bitter cup we drink.  
We should cease our hearts repining  
And on Heaven's blessings think.

Think of Him who died to save us—  
Of the Father's sacrifice,  
Of the many waiting for us  
In the land beyond the skies.

—Joe McGee.

Written at the request of her Grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Smith.

### Will Move to Marlin.

Mr. J. L. Batte is arranging to move to Marlin with his family and they will leave Bryan for their new home on next Monday. Their departure will be regretted by many friends, but the best wishes of all go with them.

### Moral Courage.

A schoolteacher once told her class that the courage which makes us do what we think right, regardless of the sneers of others, was moral courage, the best kind.  
"Then if a boy has a box of candy, like me yesterday," said a lad, "and if he eats it all himself, without giving any to people that have no right to it, no matter how much they call him mean and stingy, that there's moral courage, ain't it, teacher?"

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BRYAN, TEXAS, MARCH 25, 1969.

One need not be an optimist or an enthusiast in order to be a Bryan booster. Just ordinary good judgment is all that is required.

Keep it before the people that Governor Campbell continues to hold the noses to the grindstone at an expense of \$1300 per day to the tax payers.

In response to an invitation William J. Bryan will address both houses of the Texas legislature April 5. Bryan is the only orator of this generation whom time can not stale.

The farmers of Brazos county are doing some practical work in "dry farming," not of choice but of necessity. May be they will learn something that will be of permanent advantage.

Says the Palestine Herald: "There is a great jubilation in certain quarters, mostly political, over the report that the anti-administration forces are in the majority in the Texas legislature." And the lamentation in administration quarters is equally loud.

Representative Reedy holding aloft the banner of Campbellism made a gallant charge on the breastworks of the insurgents, but went down in defeat before the batteries of Hill and Gaines and retreated ingloriously with the administration colors trailing in the dust.

Ex-Senator Thomas is having the time of his life. He is in the center of the stage in the full glare of the limelight. But in a few short weeks his greatness will have "gone glimmering like a dream of things that were, a schoolboy's tale, the wonder of an hour."

There will be no Love lost in the campaign for governor next year. Commissioner Thomas B. has no political capital except the favor of the administration and that is such a small asset that he will not be able even to start in the business of running for governor.

The Cuban car is here today and the exhibit it contains is well worth seeing. Of course nobody ought to think of leaving Bryan or Brazos county, but if anybody is determined to make a change of residence he could do worse than to go to The Queen of the Antilles.

The stealing of the children of wealthy people and holding them for ransom is shocking but it is of rare occurrence. Infinitely more common and more dreadful is the kidnapping of the daughters of comparatively poor people and holding them in a form of slavery that is worse than death. It is not safe for an attractive girl or young woman to travel without escort.

Col. George Curry, the Rough-Rider governor of New Mexico who has been spending about a third of his time in Washington city, got huffy and sent in his resignation because his last application for leave of absence was turned down. About all the Rough-Riders got good jobs under Roosevelt, but the Curry incident indicates that they will no longer bask in the sunshine of presidential favor.

To a delegation of North Carolina citizens who had gone to Washington to ask for the appointment of the man of their choice to a federal judgeship, President Taft said. "I shall appoint no man judge whose ability or character is seriously questioned by reputable citizens of his district. He must be such a judge that his court will command and deserve respect." Of all the assurances the new president has given the Southern people this is the best.

Dr. Elliott hesitates to accept the appointment of ambassador to the court of St. James because he has no private fortune and the salary, \$17,500, is insufficient to pay the expense of maintaining the embassy with the pomp and eclat that is expected of the representative of a first class nation. When George M. Dal-

las was the American minister to England he was criticised by some of the English newspapers because of his plain manner of living and because he did not attend court functions when full dress was required, but the London Times, which was then the most influential newspaper in the world, described his dignified bearing on a notable occasion and paid high tribute to his character, concluding with the remark that America had good cause to be proud of her minister.

Los Angeles has shut the door against indigent tubercular patients and will send back to the point from which they came all such who arrive there in future. The fact is, caring for this class of unfortunates has become an intolerable burden to the people in all the cities and towns of that part of the Southwest whose dry atmosphere and elevation are supposed to be favorable to the cure of pulmonary or bronchial diseases. The people of that region are as generous and as charitable as any people on earth; every year they pay out of their pockets thousands of dollars besides innumerable cases of personal service to the poor consumptives who came among them, often in the last stages of the dreadful disease. But the limit has been passed and in self defense they are obliged to shut their doors. It is said that Governor Campbell will probably veto the bill enacted by the legislature to establish a sanitarium for this class of unfortunates. If he does so it will be a disgrace to Texas.

## Poultry Market.

Eggs, 10  
Hens, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00  
Friers, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00  
Broilers, \$2.00 to \$2.50  
Geese, \$3.50 to \$4.00, unplucked  
Ducks, \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Guineas, \$2.00 to \$2.50  
Roosters or old Democrats, \$1.80 to \$2.00

Demand is excellent for all kinds of poultry. Egg market dull and on the decline.

## Posted.

Notice is hereby given that all my lands, and lands leased by me, are posted according to law and all trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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JNO. E. ASTIN.

## INDEPENDENCE ITEMS.

Editor Bryan Eagle:

I will come again with a short letter as I have not been in in quite a while.

The farmers were blest with a nice rain on Friday night. Corn is up and some are planting cotton. Gardens are hardly worth speaking of.

Aunt Julia Lloyd is spending a while with her nieces, Misses Mamie Jones and Grace Horton.

Mrs. Bingham and little daughter from Edge, are visiting Mrs. Lucy Davidson.

Miss Lizzie Slaughter is visiting Miss Mae Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bullock spent the night recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Riley.

Little George Riley who had his leg broken is able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. Onie Hopkins are visiting their mother in this community. It begins to look like Reliance will have to give up two of her prominent young ladies in the near future.

The singing here at Independence last Sunday, was good and enjoyed by all. There were quite a number from Reliance, Steep Hollow, Grimes county and from Bryan. We were glad to see so many out and there was plenty of dinner for all.

There will be preaching here Saturday and Saturday night, also Sunday. Let everybody come and try to get some one else to come with you.

If this does not find its way to the W. B. I will come again. Good luck to the readers and success to the Eagle.

## Orange Blossoms.

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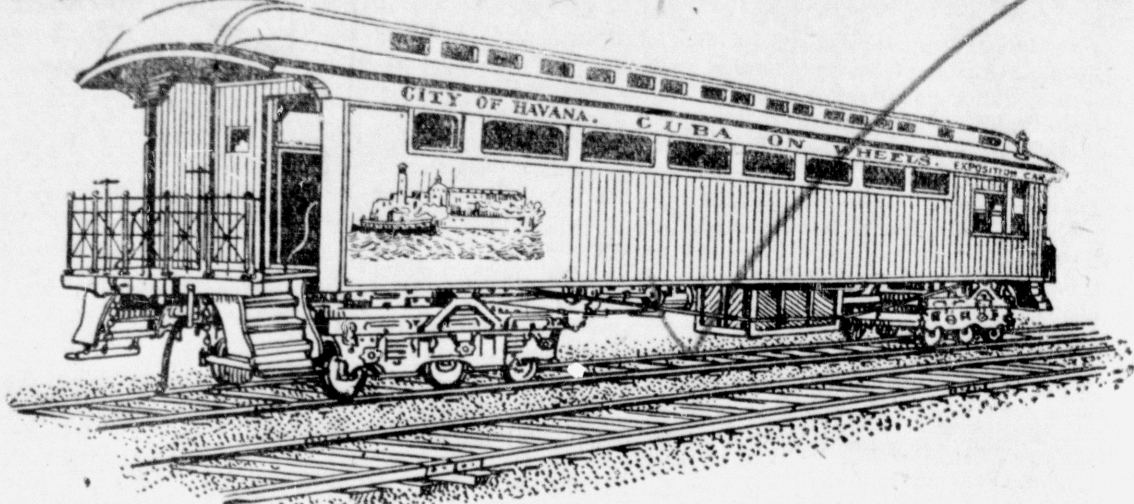


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### Ruling on Thomas Re-Election Matter Made.

Austin, March 24.—The attorney general's department, through Assistant Attorney General Crawford, furnished Senator Perkins, acting chairman of the senate committee on privileges and elections, a lengthy opinion in which Crawford held that the re-election of Thomas in his senatorial district would not be void because of lack of time in posting notices in the various precincts of that senatorial district for the full twenty days.

The ground for this ruling, says Assistant Attorney General Crawford, is contained in that provision of the Terrell election law which provides that it is not mandatory that such notices shall be posted, but merely directory. In the event, however, after the election it should be disclosed that many persons in the district were not given notice of election, then the question could come up on the question whether such election is valid, but in the present status the election is not void.

### SWAYNE APPOINTED.

Made Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial District Court.

Austin, March 24.—The governor announced the appointment of James W. Swayne of Tarrant county to be judge of the Seventeenth judicial district to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Mike E. Smith of Fort Worth.

The governor also appointed Thomas E. Durham of Gregg county as assistant superintendent of the penitentiary at Rusk. This is the appointment made by the governor some time ago and subsequently withdrawn, as the question was raised that Durham was related to the governor within the third degree of consanguinity and affinity. The anti-nepotism law was amended during the last regular session of this legislature so as to apply only to persons related to officials within the second degree, which removed the impediment to the appointment of Durham.

The senate confirmed these appointments, as well as appointments of the library and historical commission.

The house committee on game and fisheries reported favorably the bill by Baker (of Hood) and Munson relating to license of fish and oyster dealers, screening of pumps and duties of game, fish and oyster commissioner. House committee on insurance considered bill defining and regulating fraternal beneficiary association.

### REVERSED AND RENDERED.

Supreme Court Passes Upon Case Involving Dallas Institution.

Austin, March 24.—The supreme court reversed and rendered the case of St. Paul's sanitarium et al. vs. Robert M. Freeman, from Dallas. In this case Julian Reverchon made a will leaving his property to Freeman, and in case he should die without issue the property would be given to St. Vincent de Paul institution for the benefit of sick sisters of the order at Dallas. Freeman never married and brought action to have the will construed and to determine the question whether he is entitled to fee simple in devised property or whether the estate he holds therein is subject to be defeated by his death without issue.

The court held Freeman was entitled to the property in fee simple and the judgment was affirmed by the court of civil appeals.

In reversing, both the lower courts the supreme court held that death without lawful issue means the death of Freeman at any time and not his death before that of testator and judgment rendered that should Freeman die without issue the limitation over the St. Vincent de Paul institution shall take effect.

### The Time Not Ripe.

Anxious Patron-Doctor, don't you think you'd better call in some other physicians for consultation? Family Doctor (cheerfully)—Oh, no; not yet. There is still some hope.—New York Weekly.

### Endurance Test.

"What do they mean by an endurance test?" "Two chaps bragging about their respective makes of automobile."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### A Study In Anatomy.

The brain is the headquarters of the nervous system and contains the central offices of the Anatomical Telephone company.

When the suburban nerve center says, "Hello, central," the brain either replies "What number?" or "Busy" or "Out of order," as the case may be.

Sometimes the wires are crossed and the company fails to declare any dividends, thus placing the entire brain in the hands of a receiver.

From the brain issues the spine, which is sometimes useful in matrimony, although rarely strong enough in man for practical purposes and constantly growing weaker the longer he is married.

On top of the head the hair grows, or is supposed to. In some cases, however, it fails to grow despite the most painstaking efforts.

In ladies there are two kinds of hair—viz, the imported and domestic. In gentlemen also two kinds—namely, permanent and transient. The permanent is seen in wild men, the transient in civilized men when young.

At one time all the hairs were carefully numbered, but the practice has been discontinued owing to great pressure of other matters.—Lippincott's.

### The Father Pipefish.

"The best of fathers is the pipefish," said an angler. "He hatches the little pipefish, and after they are hatched he carries them about with him till they can take care of themselves."

"This fish has under his tail a sac. In it he bears the pipefish spawn. Thus the spawn hatch in perfect safety. They are not decimated, like the other fish spawn lying unprotected on the bottom of the sea, by every hungry passerby. No; they all hatch, every one of them."

As soon as they hatch the father fish splits, or nature splits for him, the sac, and all the little fish drop out into the sea, but they cling to papa. Whenever he goes, like a gray cloud those thousands of tiny sons and daughters surround him, and on the approach of danger they pop back again into the sac just as baby kangaroos pop into the sac, or marsupial pouch, of their mamma.

"The male pipefish is, in fact, the female kangaroo of the sea."

### Wills and Edmund Kean.

Irrving used to tell with dramatic effect a story about W. G. Wills, the dramatist, who, among other services, wrote for him the play "Charles I." When Wills was a boy ten years old he was taken to see Edmund Kean play Macbeth. In the murder scene he was so affected by the realistic power of the actor that, seized with a severe attack of nausea, he hurried from the box. Ten years later he was lunching at a chop house in Fleet street when a man entered, sat down at a table near him and ordered a meal. He was a perfect stranger to Wills, who, after a few minutes' propinquity, was again seized with a fit of nausea, from which he had not suffered since as a boy he was at the theater on the occasion mentioned. He was obliged to leave the room. When some minutes later he paid his bill the waiter said to him: "Did you see that gentleman at the table near you? That's Edmund Kean."—H. W. Lucy in Cornhill Magazine.

### An Anticlimax.

"I just dropped in to thank you for that medicine you sent home by my wife last night," said the grateful patient, grasping the doctor warmly by the hand. "I've been laid up off and on for years, have tried all the patent medicines on the market and been treated by every doctor in the neighborhood, but your medicine was the only thing that ever did me any good."

"It's a pleasure to have you come here to tell me this," replied the doctor, highly elated. "Most of my patients are not so thoughtful. But that prescription is my pet favorite, and I never yet knew it to fail to cure a cough if taken in time."

"Cough?" echoed the patient. "Why, I didn't take it for my cold. I used it as a liniment for my rheumatism."

### The Producer.

"Does your husband play poker?" "I don't know," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "From what I hear he simply sits up to the table and enjoys seeing other people contend for what he puts up."—Washington Star.

## LEPER COLONY IN TEXAS.

BNI With That Purpose Is Introduced In the Senate.

Austin, March 24.—In the senate Wednesday Senator Masterson introduced a bill making appropriation of \$40,000 for the establishment of a leper colony in Texas. This same measure was advocated and introduced last session through County Health Officer Cox of Galveston county.

Senator Hudspeth also introduced a bill authorizing and empowering the state health officer to isolate all indigent consumptives sojourning in Texas from other states and appropriating \$20,000 therefor.

Other bills introduced were as follows:

By Adams: To confer on Concho county civil and criminal jurisdiction heretofore belonging to it.

By Peeler: Additional experiment station in Twentieth senatorial district.

By Alexander: Prescribing form of ballot to be used in local option elections.

By Veale: For experiment stations in various parts of the state, to be under the direction of the agricultural and mechanical college.

By Harper: To authorize judges whose terms have expired to approve statements of facts.

Senators Veale, Harper, Brachfield, Bryan and Mosley introduced a bill in the senate appropriating \$25,000 to establish and maintain horticultural and feeding stations over the state, wherever the board, consisting of the governor, agricultural commissioner and lieutenant governor, may decide.

House committee on civil and criminal procedure reported unfavorably bill introduced in the house by Lively, Cox and Crawford giving the corporation court concurrent jurisdiction with the county court at law in Dallas county over criminal cases. McCullum strenuously opposed the bill in committee. Oden gave notice of favorable minority report.

### Astor Baby Born.

London, March 24.—Mrs. Waldorf Astor, formerly Miss Nannie Langhorne Shaw of Virginia, gave birth to a daughter at Cliveden.

### Fink Secretary.

Washington, March 24.—George A. Finch of the District of Columbia has been selected by Secretary Knox as secretary of the Liberia commission.

### Corrected.

Miss Kitty—Before you were married, Mrs. Blunt, did your husband bring you many flowers? Mrs. Blunt—I didn't have any husband before I was married, dear.

Pessimism leads to weakness; optimism leads to power.—William James.

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Black and White Scotch imported whiskey, was \$2.00 now \$1.50	Pure Peach and Apple Brandy, was \$1.50 now \$1.00
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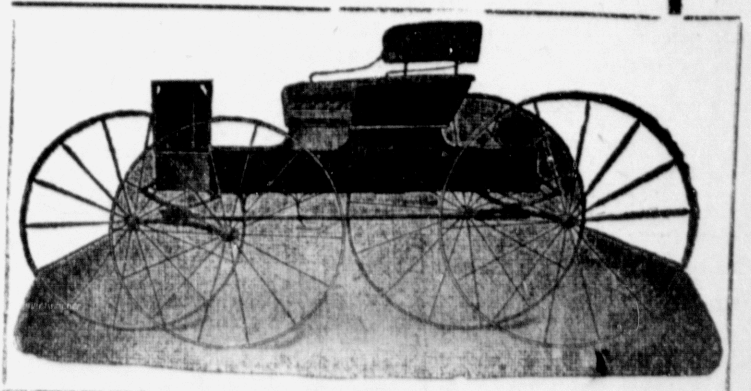
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